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Docket No.: 01-531

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) AND
AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION**

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner to grant a one (1) month extension of time, up to and including Monday, June 7, 2004, in which to respond to the Office Action dated April 6, 2004 in the above-identified application (the June 6, 2004 due date for response having fallen on a Sunday). The extension fee in the amount of \$110 may be charged to deposit account No. 50-1047. In addition, any deficiencies may be charged to deposit account No. 50-1047.

Responsive to the Office Action mailed April 6, 2004 in the above matter, please consider the following amendment and response to the outstanding restriction requirement.

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Re: In connection with Serial No. 10/057,596, please find enclosed a response to the outstanding Office Action mailed April 6, 2004.

CC:

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